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SUBJECT: REQUEST FOR LEAHY HUMAN RIGHTS VETTING: CRITICAL

INCIDENT MANAGEMENT COURSE

¶1. Post requests the Department's assistance in screening the following candidates, who have been nominated for training in the U.S., pursuant to the Leahy Act and Foreign Assistance Act. These candidates are scheduled to participate in Diplomatic Security's Critical Incident Management Course from October 30 to November 10, 2006, in Baton Rouge, LA. As of this date, Post has no derogatory information. Post requests a response from the Department by October 27, 2006 because some participants will be traveling from outside of Kathmandu and require the lead time to make arrangements.

¶2. Name of proposed candidates are as follows:

1) Name: Narendra Dahal

Position: Chief District Officer (CDO)

DOB: 4/28/1956

POB: Taplejung

Office: District Administration Office, Kapilbastu, Ministry of Home Affairs

2) Name: Tilak Ram Sharma

Position: CDO

DOB: 7/21/1955

POB: Gulmi

Office: District Administration Office, Banke, Ministry of Home Affairs

3) Name: Balkrishna Panthi

Position: CDO

DOB: 10/19/1960

POB: Gulmi

Office: District Administration Office, Palpa, Ministry of Home Affairs

4) Name: Gyan Prasad Pageni

Position: CDO

DOB: 8/19/1954

POB: Shyangja

Office: District Administration Office, Lamjung, Ministry of Home Affairs

5) Name: Netra Prasad Sharma

Position: CDO

DOB: 5/31/1954

POB: Accham

Office: District Administration Office, Dailakhe, Ministry of Home Affairs

6) Name: Pralad Pokherel

Position: Under Secretary

DOB: 10/28/1956

POB: Khotang
Office: Ministry of Home Affairs

7) Name: Manoj Kumar Shah
Position: Senior Superintendent of Police (SSP)
DOB: 2/27/1959
POB: Rukum
Office: Police Head Quarters(PHQ), IGP Secretariat, Naxal, Kathmandu

8) Name: Bishow Raj Singh Shahi
Position: SSP
DOB: 4/14/1963
POB: Bara
Office: PHQ, Anti Terrorist Division, Naxal, Kathmandu

9) Name: Tapendra Dhoj Hamal
Position: Superintendent of Police (SP)
DOB: 9/30/1959
POB: Kathmandu
Office: Armed Police Battalion No 2, Maharajgunj, Kathmandu

10) Name: Ghanashyam Bhatta
Position: SP
DOB: 6/19/1963
POB: Kailali
Office: Mid Regional Police Training Center, Bharatpur

11) Name: Kedar Man Singh Bhandari
Position: SP
DOB: 01/01/1964
POB: Kaski
Office: PHQ, Research and Planning Division, Nepal Police

12) Name: Chhabi Lal Joshi
Position: SP
DOB: 07/07/1965
POB: Arghakhachi
Office: PHQ, Anti Terrorist Division, Naxal, Kathmandu

13) Name: Pitambar Adhikari
Position: DSP
DOB: 06/13/1966
POB: Ilam
Office: Valley Crime Investigation Section, Kathmandu

14) Name: Bishow Niranjana Pradhan
Position: DSP
DOB: 02/27/1966
POB: Kathmandu
Office: Nepal Police Academy, Maharajgunj, Kathmandu

15) Name: Sthaneshwor Regmi
Position: DSP
DOB: 09/15/1964
POB: Kathmandu
Office: PHQ, Administration Section, Naxal, Kathmandu

16) Name: Ram Kumar Thapa
Position: DSP
DOB: 02/09/1963
POB: Kathmandu
Office: PHQ, Operation Desk, Naxal, Kathmandu

17) Name: Kosh Raj Onta
Position: SSP
DOB: 04/18/1962
POB: Baguwa -3, Gorkha
Office: Head of Directorate of Support and Service, APF Head Quarter, Hallchowk, Kathmandu

18) Name: Khok Bahadur Gurung
Position: SSP
DOB: 12/03/1956
POB: Mirlung-3, Tanahu
Office: Acting Head, Maheshwori Brigade, Shukhet

19) Name: Prem Shahi
Position: SSP
DOB: 04/25/1962
POB: Gwadi-2, Gulmi
Office: Chief Secretary of IGP, APF Head Quarter, Hallchowk, Kathmandu

20) Name: Ram Krishna Matangulu
Position: SSP
DOB: 04/18/1957
POB: Jahukhel07, Bhakatapur
Office: Deputy Head, Baidhyanath, Brigade Attaria

21) Name: Sharan Ram Poudel
Position: SP
DOB: 07/14/1968
POB: Bhairab-2, Nuwakot
Office: Commander, Kalinchowk Battalion, Kirtipur

22) Name: Khadananda Chaudhary
Position: SP
DOB: 03/26/1967
POB: Charpane-3, Jhapa
Office: Staff Officer of Operation Department, APF Head Quarters, Hallchowk, Kathmandu

23) Name: Arbinda Dhital
Position: SP
DOB: 10/16/1968
POB: Bhirkot -1, Gorkha
Office: 3rd in Command, Rudra Brigade, Pathlaya

24) Name: Shree Kant Koirala
Position: SP
DOB: 11/12/1960
POB: Jita-1, Lamjung
Office: Commander, Badhi Malika Battalion, Banbeda, Kalali

13. Post appreciates Department's assistance. The POC at Post is Pol/Econ Lauren Frese, (977-1) 4411179 ext. 4632, FreseL@state.gov.
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